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Listing of Relevant Documents

The relevant documents are listed in the attached Form PTO-1449.

Remarks

The listed references are discussed on page 1 of the specification and were brought to applicants' attention by the attached International Search Report.

EP 0 257 996 , JP 08 109126 and JP 06 305960 are not available in English, however an English language abstract of each of the references is supplied herewith which should meet the concise explanation requirement.

U.S. 6,083,538 is the English equivalent of EP 0 913 468, which was brought to applicants' attention by the attached International Search Report.

Respectfully submitted,

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